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MRS. HANSON GIVES OPERATING TABLE

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The sick public is to benefit from a most generous gift to Mercy Hospital by Mrs. R. Hanson—a Scanlan-Balfour operating table No. A-5. This is the very last word in operating tables for physicians. By its use all positions advantageous to the surgeon are secured instantly without effort. The table top, with the patient on the table, can be elevated or lowered as may suit the operator's convenience, by means of the perfect working oil pump controlled by a foot lever. The telescopic pedestal incasing the oil pump, made with accurately machined guides, assures great rigidity of table top and eliminates vibration in the elevating or lowering of the table top.

The table top can be rotated to the right or left and locked in position by a light pressure of the anesthetizer's foot on the locking lever.

For gallstone, kidney and stomach operations, elevation of the patient can be secured by angulation of the table top; supported as the patient is by the table top (angled) undue strain is eliminated and the patient held comfortably and securely in position by means of the adjustable kidney posts, chest and leg horns. Elevation of the patient may also be secured when desired by means of the adjustable body elevator, without angulation of the table top. The adjustable elevator (and integral part of the table) by means of the crank handle can be raised or lowered independently of the table top, the elevator retaining its position without catch or cog.

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The center section of the Scanlan-Balfour operating table can be depressed, placing the patient in a position in which the abdominal muscles are relaxed. This relaxing of the abdominal muscles can be obtained with the table in various positions. Accessories of Proven Utility and Convenience

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The adjustable body elevator incorporated in the construction of the table can be raised or lowered independently of table top when so desired. The adjustable kidney posts are shaped anatomically correct, hold the patient securely in position, and are so made as to permit of perfect adjustment. The chest and leg horns are adjustable laterally, longitudinally, and at an angle. The shoulder crutches are adjustable laterally and longitudinally.

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angle of 90 degrees to the table top and is designed with rolled rim for supporting head in goiter work, gland dissection, etc. The foot support can be adjusted to support tall or short patients, can be dropped down and become a part of the table top when not in use. The rod supporting the Mayo instrument rack fits into a swinging arm attached to the telescopic pedestal, allowing the rack to be used on either side of table and adjusted to suit convenience of operator. The body strap is of heavy canvas with leather end and nickel-plated buckle; fitted with adjustable lugs. The anesthetizer's screen can be adjusted to any angle, moved forward or backward to suit convenience of operator. The legholders are a modified type of the Bierhoff knee crutch.

The price of these tables is \$800.00. It is expected that the new table will arrive some time this week, and will fittingly mark the celebration of health week.

This is genuine service to humanity and Mrs. Hanson deserves the kindest appreciation of the public for her generous contribution. What can be greater than the privilege of the alleviation of human suffering. Our greatest surgeons and physicians are inspired to greatness not entirely because of their skill nor because of the financial rewards that come with their service but because deep down in their hearts is the love to relieve human suffering. It is a great privilege to be able to do somebody some good—to relieve their sufferings and to put new song on their lips and happiness in their hearts as they again go about their usual vocations. We know that great good will come from having this very fine convenience at our service, and it is sure to play a large part in the service of Mercy Hospital.

At this time we wish to recall memory of the fine gift by the late Mr. R. Hanson, of the gas machine used in anesthesia that is almost daily in use at Mercy Hospital. By the use of this modern apparatus most of the operations performed at the hospital are without chloroform and ether. The gas is much quicker in effect and the patient is more quickly relieved and there is none of the after-sickness that follows other anesthetics. This machine has done wonderful service in the operating room, and now the new operating table is to take its place beside it, all in the service for humanity.

NORTHERN MICHIGAN TRAP-SHOOTING

By Howard Hall

Carl Mickelson, widely known sportsman of Mason, Michigan, is keenly interested in the promotion of a Trapshooting League in the Northern part of the State, taking in the territory north of Bay City to Mackinaw. Recently Mr. Mickelson sent out a questionnaire to the leading gunners in the North country and the overwhelming response gives the project an optimistic outlook at the present writing. Seven Gun Club organizations, which include, Harrisville Gun Club, Cadillac Gun Club, Chase Benj. Club, of Alpena, Tawas Cities Club, of Tawas City, Petoskey Club, of Petoskey, Wequetonsing Club, of Wequetonsing and the Grayling Gun Club, are in a tentative union, and Mr. Mickelson has called a meeting of delegates at Grayling, May 20th. A program of shooting events and an entertainment is scheduled the same day.

The Michigan Trapshooting Ass'n and the Amateur Trapshooting Ass'n are supporting this movement to the limit and with the co-operation of the host of live wire sportsmen from the North country, it will be carried to a successful conclusion.

Previous attempts along this line have been made but the lack of transportation facilities were a great handicap. Today, with that playground of Michigan, interlarded with good roads, its success is assured.

Trapshooting is of American origin and is one of the leading organized sports. In 1927 the A. T. A. records show that 9,500,000 registered targets were trapped. 700 official tournaments were staged. The A. T. A. has an enrollment of 14,000 members. The Michigan Trapshooting Ass'n has a membership of 45 gun clubs and



1—Vice President Dawes delivering address at congressional funeral services for the late Representative Madden of Illinois. 2—German-Irish transatlantic aviators spreading their flags over the grave of Floyd Bennett at Arlington. 3—General view of New York's reception to crew of the Bremen as the parade reached city hall.

17 registered tournaments have been sanctioned to date. Let's all do our bit and help Mr. Mickelson add Northern Michigan to this great organization.

"BETTER HOMES" PROGRAM

The "Better Homes" program given in the school auditorium was fairly well attended. The meeting was arranged by Mrs. A. J. Joseph, district chairman appointed by Secretary Herbert Hoover.

The principal feature of the program was a series of motion pictures entitled "Small House Furnishing." These were shown on the screen, the projector being operated by Supt. E. Smith. The pictures were accompanied by lectures on the subject of homes, which was given by Rev. J. W. Greenwood.

In connection with the program was a poster exhibit on "Better Homes" made by pupils of the grades. This was in charge of Miss Salling, teacher of music and art in the schools. Joyce Smith won the honors of having the best poster.

Prizes also were offered for the best essays on "Better Homes." These were won by Eleanor Gorman and Katharine Mallinger, and the essays published in the school notes last week.

Rev. Greenwood made presentation of the prizes, with appropriate remarks. Mrs. Smith's orchestra rendered a number of selections during the evening that were greatly enjoyed. The "Better Homes" week activities were sponsored by the ladies of the Womans club. It was certainly a worth-while effort and should result in more and better civic development.

DEPUTY STATE FIRE MARSHAL VISITS GRAYLING

Deputy State Fire Marshal Murray A. McKenna of Prescott has been in the city for several days inspecting the conditions here relative to fire safety. He says that he finds here the best conditions of any city of his kind that he has visited.

While there are still many wooden structures and shingle roofs he finds that people take special care in keeping their property safe from fires. In a few places he has offered suggestions for improvement and he finds everyone ready and anxious to comply. At no time has he received alibis or excuses but instead a ready response to be of assistance.

The State laws are very drastic in many respects and covers almost every conceivable point from the storage of a pint of gasoline on the premises to the disposal of ashes and rubbish, fire escapes, etc.

Marshall McKenna says the keeping clean of premises and care and disposal of rubbish effects insurance rates. Frequently, he says, insurance rates are lowered by the removal of a fire-trap wing or annex or near-by structure. People too should see that their chimneys rise well above the peak of their roofs, and whenever possible fire proof roofing should be used.

TO TRY OUT ARTICHOKE IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN

The Michigan Central Railroad Co. is going to do some experimenting in the growing of artichokes in Northern Michigan this summer. Artichokes, according to Mr. Price, M. C. agricultural agent, are heavy in sugar content and it is believed that they will grow well in this region of Michigan. Seed is being supplied by the Railroad Co. for experimental purposes. Enough for planting about an acre is being distributed in Crawford county and placed in the hands of the following farmers: Elmer Ostrander, Arthur Skingley and George Annis, and as the season progresses records of development will be kept up to the final maturity of the artichokes. It is the opinion of many that artichokes do well in light soil, and also that they take but little fertility from the soil. It is hoped and expected that this is going to develop into a leading Northern Michigan crop.

OLD TIME FIDDLERS' CONTEST

GRAYLING ELKS TO GIVE BENEFIT PARTY

Ye old time fiddlers are going to stage a comeback June 7th when there will be a fiddlers' contest and a barn dance at the school auditorium, given under auspices of the Elks of Grayling.

The B. P. O. E. have arranged matters for a big evening of fun and dignified pleasure. The program is varied so that it should appeal to all. Besides the fiddlers' contest there will be dancing by a modern orchestra and vocal music by the Elks Club quartette of Bay City.

Cash Prizes Offered It is hoped that a large number of entries of old time fiddlers will be made. Competent judges will be on hand to determine the merits of the players. The prizes will be as follows:

First prize, \$25.00 cash. Second prize, \$15.00 cash.

Make entries for the contest by seeing or addressing T. W. Hanson, president.

Elks Club Quartette The Elks Club quartette of Bay City will be present and you will say they can sing when you hear them. You will be happily entertained for they are strictly first class vocalists.

The Barn Dance

Should you need a place to hitch and feed your team you will be well cared for. The gym will resemble a well organized farm barn, and you can laze your sweatshirt and dance on the "barn" floor to your heart's content. And there will be a program in harmony with the occasion. The Elks are a happy bunch and you may be sure they are going to entertain you to the best of their ability.

Tickets are \$1.50 each, extra ladies 25 cents.

Michigan Memorial Church

John Wilfred Greenwood, Minister Sunday, May 13th, 1928.

10:30 a. m. Mother's Day program. Remember your mother by remembering your mother's God, by reverencing her faith. Theme "The Mother's Heart-treasures."

7:30 p. m. The second great address in the artist's pictures series. Theme, "In Conflict with Religious Customs." You can't afford to miss any of these splendid picture talks.

THE SENIOR CLASS PLAY SUCCESS

The Senior class play, "The House of a Thousand Thrills," given at the High School auditorium last night was a big success. Every seat in the auditorium was filled and each member of the cast took their part very well.

The play was something different from the usual high school plays, it being a mystery drama, the plot of which centered around a very valuable necklace, which was stolen a thousand years ago, and which had finally been placed in the hands of wealthy Mrs. Carlton, which part was played by Hazel Hunter, mistress of Carlton House, Long Island.

The presence of the prowling burglar, the unscrupulous Hindu woman, and the young man impersonating Mrs. Carlton's grandson, with the many strange noises, the moving hand of the ghost and the secret passages in the home of Mrs. Carlton's, made the scenes weird and the noises haunting, and the audience received some real thrills as well as hearty laughs from the play.

Mr. Cushman, principal, directed the play, and he with the members of the senior class are to be highly commended for the fine showing. Amos Hunter, who acted as orator between acts, kept the audience laughing while they were waiting between the acts of the play, and the orchestra under direction of Mrs. B. E. Smith, played some very pleasing numbers.

LYLE MERRY, YOUNG GAYLORD LAD PASSES AWAY

Lyle Merry, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Merry, passed away early Friday morning at the home of his parents, after a short illness.

About a week ago a broken bottle at the Bottling Works, cut a small gash in one of his fingers. The young lad did not consider it serious, and paid little attention to it at the time, until Sunday, when he became quite ill, and a doctor was called to his aid. It was found that the young man was suffering from blood poisoning, and his condition gradually grew worse until his death.

Lyle was well known among Grayling residents, having visited here several times with the Grayford High School basketball team, he being one of their best players, and displayed very fine sportsmanship in all the games he played here. He was well liked by all those that knew him, and those who are left to mourn the passing of such a fine young man, have the sympathy of this community in their bereavement.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

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MOTHER'S DAY

The American people are said to be materialistic, but also they are emotional and full of sentiment. One of their most deeply cherished feelings is the reverence that they cherish for their mothers. The sentiment is probably more powerful in this country than anywhere else, since our country gives the highest respect to womanhood. In no country in the world are women given such favorable opportunities as come to them here, and at the height of all honors, are placed the mothers of the nation. The untiring devotion of these women for their children is the finest phase of human nature. Modern life has many faults, and many people are frivolous and are pursuing too low aims. But there are few women who fail to spend themselves to the limit for their children, and a great many wear themselves out in the way they lavish affection and effort on them. Most women deny themselves things they ought to have, so that their children can have everything they desire. They go without pleasures and opportunities, stint themselves on clothing and sometimes on food, so that they can provide the children not merely with the things they need, but with luxuries and superfluities.

When the world turns against anyone, and people seem to be blamed for the things they have done, their mothers will always find excuses to tolerate their faults. People often get discouraged about the future of the young folks, when they see many of them misbehaving. But this devotion of motherhood is a powerful force that is all the time working to make better young people. Even when people do wrong and get into trouble, the memory of the hopes and ideals their mothers cherished for them, is a force that tends to draw them back from their errors. Well can we take next Sunday to do honor to this noble sentiment of motherhood.

MOTHER MINE

By J. W. Greenwood

Mother's Day, May 13, 1928. (Dedicated to the dearest little woman in the world—My Mother.) There's a singing in my soul, Mother Mine! There's a ringing in my soul, Mother Mine! Through the tears that dim my eyes I am seeing Paradise, As you live Love's sacrifice, Mother Mine!

Night is heavy on my soul, Mother Mine! Gloom is darkening my soul, Mother Mine! For I'm far away from you, And my skies no longer blue, But I'm trying to be true, Mother Mine!

Mother's Day may come and go, Mother Mine! Thoughtless children hurt you so! Mother Mine! But for you my love is deep, You who watched me in my sleep, You who prayed "my soul to keep," Mother Mine!

Some lone day will soon be here, Mother Mine! Some sad day of haunting fear, Mother Mine! When no longer you'll be seen, And my heart will lonely be, But your Christ will comfort me, Mother Mine!

I am planning on a home, Mother Mine! Where no longer children roam, Mother Mine! And with your fond love's caress, And a mother's tenderness, Heaven shall be all happiness, Mother Mine!

This beautiful tribute by Rev. Greenwood, dedicated to his own mother, has been set in artistic type and printed on kid finish Bristol and are now on sale at both drug stores. Ask to see them.

FORMER GRAYLING BOY WINS COLLEGE HONORS

Evanson, Ill., May 5.—Elgin E. Narrin, of 1136 West Hildale Street, Lansing Michigan, was one of fifteen Northwestern university students to be elected to Deru, senior men's honor society and one of the most influential organizations on the lake shore campus. Elections to Deru are made by secret ballot and all men of the junior class are entitled to cast a vote. Initiation to this society, founded in 1895, is reputed to take place in the "wee sma' hours" of the morning under an old oak tree which has graced the campus since Evanson was a lonely farm.

Elgin Narrin, who is a junior in the school of commerce, has been active in campus affairs for the whole of his three years on the campus, as a member of the student cabinet of the Y.M.C.A., member of the Interfraternity Council, and member of the Student Council. He has been treasurer of the student council for the past year and ex-officio in charge of finances for all the four classes. He is president of the Acacia fraternity and a member of Beta Alpha Psi and Alpha Kappa Psi fraternities, both of the latter professional.

Narrin was formerly a resident of Grayling, where he was born and lived for several years and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Narrin.

FARMERS NEED AGRICULTURAL AGENT

Elmer Ostrander, overseer of Crawford County Grange, says he feels greatly the loss of an agricultural agent. "Right now," said Mr. Ostrander, "many farmers are needing guaranteed pure seed. These things were always to be had when Mr. Bailey was the agricultural agent. Seed is procured thru the Farm Bureau and distributed to the farmers by the agent. Now that we have no agent, we also have no definite source of guaranteed seed. We may be able to get good seed and may not, and under these conditions have to trust to luck that our season's work isn't going to be a failure due to uncertain seed. It cost me 17 cents a year as my part of the cost of maintaining an agricultural agent. It has been worth many times that amount. And there was always a big saving in fertilizers purchased thru the agent. There are many others in the county who feel the same as I do about the need of an agricultural agent."

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Dell Walt and Mr. and Mrs. James H. Walt of Bay City and family, wish to thank their many friends and neighbors, the members of Grayling Lodge F. & A. M., the members of the American Legion Post 106, and Rev. J. W. Greenwood, for their many beautiful floral pieces, and kind words of sympathy, during the long illness and death of our beloved husband, son and brother, the late Del Walt.



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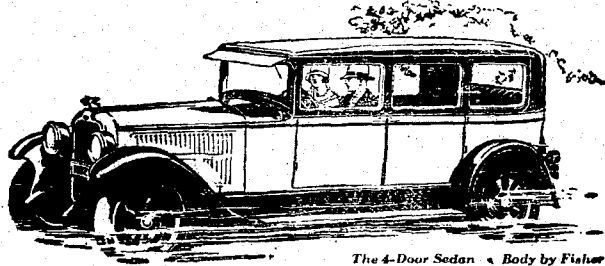
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HAS ROAD COMMISSION ACTED?

The recent removal of the State Highway headquarters from Grayling caused the Board of Trade to take the matter up with State Highway Commissioner Rogers. The latter's reply follows:

April 24, 1928
Grayling Board of Trade
Grayling, Michigan.

Att: O. P. Schumann, Sec'y.

Gentlemen:

This will acknowledge your letter of the 16th in which you comment on the removal of the headquarters of our state maintenance organization in Crawford County from Grayling to Roscommon. We had no desire to move these headquarters from Grayling but were forced to do so because of fact that the County Road Commission could no longer accommodate us with a building for housing our equipment and there was no other place in Grayling which seemed to be available for this purpose. We would be very pleased to move headquarters back to Grayling provided a building could be secured for headquarters purposes.

This department is not able at this time to finance the construction of a new garage building at Grayling and while we have under consideration the construction of garages at several locations in the state, we are not at the present time able to go ahead with them.

If you know of any available headquarters that might be rented at Grayling, we suggest that you might communicate with our Division Engineer, Mr. A. L. Burridge at Cadillac.

Very truly yours,
Frank F. Roger
State Highway Commissioner.

Mr. Burridge was in the city last week and the matter taken up with him. He assured the secretary of the Board of Trade that it was the desire of the Department to hold headquarters here and that the only reason they moved away was because they were ordered out.

Investigations have been made of available quarters that may be had for the Highway department by a special committee of the Board of Trade and information laid before the County Board of Road commissioners. Mr. Burridge directed that all communications or requests be filed with the county board. This has been done. Now it is up to the latter to get busy with Mr. Burridge and make to him formal offers. Whether this has been done or not we haven't been able to find out. This matter should not be delayed. It means dollars and cents for the people of Grayling to have the headquarters here, and no day should be lost in an effort to hasten the transfer back to this city.

LOCAL NEWS

For shoe bargains go to Olson's.

See the arch support slipper for \$3.65 at Olson's.

Mrs. Allyn McCreedy and two children are visiting the former's parents at Twining this week.

Fresh shipment just in of Lamberts chocolates and Whitman's famous candies. Central Drug Store.

Mrs. LeRoy Scott of Roscommon visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ostrander Tuesday.

The Misses Calla Brott, Mildred Ostrander and Hilda Heath, motored to Prudenville and spent Sunday.

Women's Arch Support slippers for \$3.65 at Olson's.

Roy Brown of Bay City, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Brown and family over the week end.

Harry Hanover of Ypsilanti, spent the week end here visiting friends and enjoyed fishing on the Au Sable.

Mrs. Minnie Daugherty and son Ellis and Miss Fern Armstrong, motored to Bay City Thursday and spent the day.

Harry Reynolds and George Waldo, motored up from Flint and spent the week end visiting at their homes in Grayling and Otsego Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Cooley left Monday on a business trip to Lansing, Grand Rapids and Detroit. They expect to be gone several days.

Miss Mollie Johnson and Walter Bosworth of Bay City, spent the week end visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Palmer of Alma, a son who will be known as Albert John. The mother will be remembered as Miss Emma Ostrander.

Mother has a sweet tooth same as other folks. Send her a nice box of candy on her day, May 13th.
Central Drug Store.

National Hospital Day, Saturday, May 12th.

Fresh Cream Cottage Cheese delivered daily.
Grayling Creamery.

We have Black Kid Arch Support slippers in wide widths for \$3.65 at Olson's.

Frank C. Cherry of Grand Rapids enjoyed his annual fishing trip on the Au Sable.

Oak Coca Cola barrels for sale. We have 40, 10 and 5 gallon barrels.
Central Drug Store.

James Hartwick and Axel Michel-son of Detroit are enjoying their annual fishing trip on the Au Sable.

Mrs. W. P. Evans of Detroit is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Babbitt for a couple of weeks.

Miss Marguerite Montour of Bay City, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Montour and family Sunday.

Sale of Parke, Davis & Co.'s toilet goods is still on. Buy two items and get one free.
Central Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. John Green and son Jess of Roscommon and Mrs. Minnie Daugherty motored to Big Rapids Saturday and spent the week end.

Clyde Hum of Detroit, visited relatives and friends in Grayling a few days this week as well as selling a quantity of fire hose to the Village Council.

Mrs. P. P. Mahoney returned to her home in Bay City Saturday, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Rose Bahloff, who she visited a few days last week.

Mrs. H. C. Schmidt visited in Detroit a few days last week and was accompanied home by Mrs. Emil Hanson, who spent the week end visiting relatives and friends.

A fine new cement platform has been built in front of the building owned by Mrs. Nels Olson and occupied by the Economy Store. The work was done by William Moshier.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wolf of New York are visiting friends here a few days this week. While here Mr. Wolf is enjoying a few days of fishing on the Au Sable.

Margrethe Nelson returned from Grand Rapids Saturday, where she has been the past few months account of ill health. She has resumed her duties at the Grayling Bank. Her sister, Miss Olga accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hermann motored up from Lansing Saturday and spent the week end visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bates and Mrs. Anna Hermann and family.

Edna Taylor of Detroit visited her father, Oscar Taylor and brother Toddy over the week end. Miss Lillian Mortenson of Flint accompanied her here and visited her mother Mrs. A. Mortenson at Beaver Creek.

One lot of interior clear varnish at half price. Comes in gallons, half gallons, quarts, pints and half pints. Will guarantee this product to be all right and you are buying it at an extremely low price.
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The Board of Trustees of Michel-son Memorial church are "wrecking the old parsonage foundation. They have sold the garage belonging to this property to Al Roberts, who will have same removed. This will make a fine improvement to this property.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McGinnis of Detroit visited the latter's mother Mrs. Milnes over the week end. While here Mr. McGinnis enjoyed fishing on the Au Sable and succeeded in catching a nice 20½ inch rainbow trout. Mrs. McGinnis is remaining for a longer visit.

Don't forget the benefit dance, given by the Alumnae Nurses of Grayling Mercy Hospital, for Mercy Hospital, that is to be held at Officer's Club House, Lake Margrethe, May 16th. Wooley's Olympic orchestra of Mt. Pleasant will furnish the music.

Miss Clark's class in history and English made a visit to the Avalanche office Wednesday noon. There were 16 in number and were shown the methods of typesetting and printing. The pupils are to write a resume on what they learned at the printing office as a part of a lesson in English.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Short and Axel Peterson, motored up from Detroit Saturday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Peterson's over the week end. The men enjoyed a few hours of fishing on the Au Sable before returning home. Mrs. Short remained for a longer visit with her parents.

John Walstrom had a big day on the AuSable river Saturday last. Within an hour of fishing he had his trout creel overflowing and still had fewer than half the lawful limit in number. Just seven trout were all he had, but the smallest one, a brook trout, measured 15 inches; the largest 24 inches. With exception of the one all were rainbow trout. The average length of the catch was better than 20 inches. This certainly was a wonderful catch and one that would enthrall the most skillful of anglers. Mr. Walstrom says that while he was in the water only about an hour it seemed as tho every minute of the time was spent in fighting the fish in his work of landing them. It takes time to land these big rainbows and an afternoon like that would tax the strength of most anglers. This is the best individual catch we have heard of this season. It doesn't appear that the AuSable is losing any of its favor as the best trout stream in America.

E. V. Smith Piano Service
In Grayling this week. Leave orders at Shoppenagons Inn.

Mrs. C. L. Smith spent Monday in Bay City.

Mrs. George Olson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Clark and daughter in Gaylord Wednesday.

Miss Lola Craven of Frederic was the guest of Helen and Howard Munshaw of East Lansing at Higgins Lake Sunday.

Rowland M. Bogue of Ypsilanti has been engaged as superintendent of Grayling school for next year. There were about 30 applicants for the position and many by men who were reputed to be very able educators. Mr. Bogue comes with very strong credentials as an educator and a citizen. For the past year he has been taking extra work at Central normal and will finish with a second degree. His last position was at Tawas City as superintendent. Some of the references sent in in behalf of Mr. Bogue also speak very highly of Mrs. Bogue. We are sure they will receive a warm welcome in Grayling. Supt. B. E. Smith early in the year notified the local board that he did not intend to return for another year and is signed up with the Detroit school system. He had been here eight years and decided that it would be to his advantage to enter a larger system. It is with extreme regret that we have to lose Mr. Smith and his fine family.



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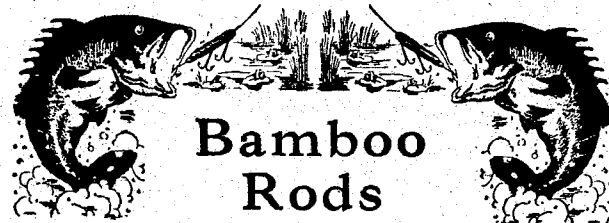
The annual meeting of the Board of Review of the Village of Grayling will be held in the Town Hall on Wednesday and Thursday, May 16 and 17, 1928, from 9 o'clock a. m. to 4 o'clock p. m. on each

of said days, to review the Tax Roll.

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AGRICULTURAL NOTES



GOOD YIELDS FOLLOW USE OF FERTILIZERS

East Lansing, May 7.—That corn in Michigan gives a profitable return on investments in commercial fertilizers is shown by the crops produced by winners in the last five-acre corn growing contest.

Sixteen out of the 21 highest yields in region 1 were grown on soil that received an application of commercial fertilizers, and all eight of the growers in regions 2 and 3 used commercial fertilizers.

The best yield of corn in the contest was 107 bushels of shelled corn per acre. In addition to the fertilizer, this crop had the advantage of being grown on a sweet clover sod.

Weather conditions this spring indicate that fertilizers will be especially valuable, according to the soils department at Michigan State College.

Weather conditions will delay planting dates in many cases, and the use of fertilizer will give the crop an initial start that will perhaps be the means of maturing it ahead of the frost date.

On light soils, an analysis of 2-10-2 or 4-10-4 at the rate of 125 to 150 pounds per acre is recommended. For heavy soils, a superphosphate or 2-16-2 at the rate of 150 to 175 pounds per acre is advised. Manures should be reinforced by the addition of superphosphates.

Save the Soil

Some of the worst examples of soil erosion occur in soils which are rich in plant food and otherwise highly desirable. Take for example a soil with a good loam on the surface, a silty clay subsoil, and below the subsoil a sandy or gravelly layer or layers. Such a soil is favorable to crops and tillage. The clay subsoil holds moisture, and the sand below provides good drainage against excess moisture. Once gullies cut through the subsoil and reach the sandy layers, erosion and gully cutting become disastrous. The sand washes quickly and then the clay and loam layers cave into the gullies which widen at the heads and on the sides. At the first indication of such a gully it pays to build a soil saving dam and to pull or scrape in dirt and organic matter that will stop the gully.

Controlling Poultry Parasites

Disinfectants used in the poultry house destroy contagious disease germs and some parasites such as mites and ticks. Limestone made from freshly slaked lime is a good disinfectant, as are also a 5 per cent carbolic-acid solution and cresol which can be purchased ready for use. Kerosene emulsion (used particularly to kill mites) is another satisfactory disinfectant. To make it, shave a half pint of hard laundry soap into a half gallon of soft water and boil the mixture until the soap is dissolved, then remove from the fire and stir into it, while hot, 2 gallons of kerosene. If used to kill mites, 1 qt. of the kerosene emulsion is mixed with 10 qts. of water; if used as a disinfectant, stir well then add 1 pint of crude carbolic acid or of cresol and again stir until well mixed. Disinfectants may be applied to walls or

ceilings by a brush or spray pump. Care should be taken that the disinfectant is applied in a thorough manner so as to reach all cracks and crevices and all parts of the boards and roosts. Feeding and drinking troughs should be disinfected by pouring boiling hot water into them and drying them in the sun.

Looks as if the day is coming when there won't be anything to eat except alphabetical vitamins.—Toledo Blade.

We have reason to believe, as we look around this neighborhood, that girls still sometimes set their caps for young men, only now they're kneecaps.—Ohio State Journal.

Checkerboard Sandwich

Checkerboard sandwiches for the bridge luncheon is the dernier cri of fashionable society. Dainty morsels of white and whole wheat bread, made to look like mosaic work, appeal not only to the palate but the eye.

Spread them with any filling you like, or simply serve them in their pristine innocence with clear tea and a portion of lemon. Either method is quite correct. And then there's cheese and parsley, rolls and layer sandwiches, both companion favorites of the hostess with a taste for the individual.

Here are some suggestions on the easiest and most artistic method of making all three:

Checkerboard Sandwiches.

Take three-layer sandwiches of alternating one-half inch slices of whole wheat and white bread; spread generously with margarine or butter. Slice the three-decker down in one-half inch slices. Combine three of these slices to make cubes, using first a slice with the whole wheat bread in the center, then the white, then the whole wheat. Spread each layer with margarine or butter, press and slice thin. These sandwiches are picturesque as well as delicious.

Cheese-Parsley Roll.

Cut away the crust from a sandwich loaf and slice lengthwise of the loaf in thin sections. Spread the whole slice with butter or margarine, then with a filling made from cream cheese, softened with cream or salad dressing and mixed with lots of chopped parsley. Roll each long slice up like a jelly roll, let stand a few minutes, and slice thin.

Layer Loaf Sandwiches.

Remove crust from a sandwich loaf as before and cut in five lengthwise slices. Spread with margarine or butter. Put bread together like a layer cake, then cover the entire loaf with softened cheese after the manner of frosting a cake. Decorate the top. Make twelve hours before using and press before covering with cheese. The first layer may be filled with chopped sweet pickles and parsley, moistened with dressing; the second with hard-cooked egg yolk mixed with margarine or butter; the third with hard-cooked egg whites chopped, mixed with cream cheese and dressing; and the fourth with finely chopped boiled ham or tongue with dressing.

WILD DUCKS DYING AT HOUGHTON LAKE

Wild ducks are dying by the hundreds at Houghton Lake this spring according to reports from various points around the lake. So numerous have been the birds found along the shore and seen floating upon the water that the resort owners and sportsmen have become seriously alarmed. The matter was brought to the attention of the Conservation Department last week and a man was sent to the lake to investigate the cause. Upon opening the craws of several dead ducks it was found that death was caused by lead poisoning. The ducks, principally blue gulls, in diving in the mud for food are picking up loads of shot which in turn gets away the lining of their craws. In one duck opened by Roy Carr were found 187 pellets. Houghton lake has long been a duck hunting lake and perhaps no other lake in the United States has there been more shooting done than on this lake and it has been estimated that tons and tons of fine shot cover the bottom of the lake, especially around the rice and weed beds. More ducks are resting on Houghton lake this spring on their northward flight than have been seen in a number of years.—Roscommon Herald-News.

The father of the most popular Eastern college girl in this neighborhood says he thinks his daughter is home for the spring vacation and has been for several days, but he has been too tired to wait up and make sure yet.—Ohio State Journal.

THEY CAN'T SPELL

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

SOME one who has been probing into the history and development of our English language or whatever tongue it is with which we attempt in these parts to communicate with our fellow men, told me not long ago that a few hundred years ago it was not considered the part of a gentleman to spell correctly. The higher up the social scale you were the more leeway you allowed yourself in the matter of orthography. In fact variety and originality in the putting together of letters to form words was a sign of erudition rather than otherwise.

It was not so when I was a boy, nor even when my father was going to school. He had in fact very little formal schooling, and yet I was never able to detect him in misspelling a word. I read his diary a few weeks ago, written seventy-five years ago or more when he was crossing the ocean, and there was not in all its pages a misspelled word.

Correct spelling was looked upon as an absolute necessity when I was in country district school. We practiced every day. We wrote words on our slates; we stood up and spelled down; we vied with the children in adjoining districts in seeing who could stand up the longest and master the words which were pronounced to us. We were not stumped by such simple combinations as "receive" and "seize" and "truly" and "separate" and "accommodate" which seem to be the water-works of our youthful friends today. We tackled "crystalline" and "dagger" and "typewriter" and "chiffonier" and "foster" and words like that, and spelled them as glibly as if they had been words of two syllables.

But "them days seem gone forever." Even the college student takes spelling lightly and does it frequently with picturesque inaccuracy and thinks nothing of his errors. This fact is recognized even in North Carolina where education, I am told by experts in pedagogical matters, has not reached the state of perfection which it has done in California and Massachusetts, for example. A gentleman wishing a stenographer who had some accurate knowledge of orthography is said to have inserted the following notice in his local paper:

"Wanted—Stenographer for special work after hours. Prefer one who has no college education, as the work will require correct spelling and punctuation, and the use of common sense."

Why doesn't the high school graduate and the college student know something of the simple elements of correct orthography and of punctuation? Perhaps the first reason is that with all the training in English which he has had, he has really never given any serious thought to these details. He hasn't had his mind on them. And secondly, no one has ever made him see the real importance of accuracy in writing.

"You know what I mean," he says, "so why be so particular." He can't spell and punctuate correctly because he thinks there are so many other things of greater importance. Why waste time on trifles?

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Unusual Sports Dress



An unusual sports dress is here displayed by Lella Hyams, featured player in "The Crusion City." It is a tan and brown figured kasha cloth with brown silk sleeves. This makes a good cool weather dress for the spring and summer.

Women and Financial Matters

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

I HAD a request not long ago from the secretary of some philanthropically inclined organization asking me to set on a committee for the education of women in financial matters. I felt as much complimented as did the indigent colored man who was asked to change a ten dollar bill, but I asked myself why women more than men should need special education in such matters, and further why I should be run in to broadcast such education.

I have heard it said that doctors, lawyers, teachers, and professional men generally are the first to snap at get-rich-quick schemes, and know the least about safe and conservative investments. Are women any worse than we are? It may be. Possibly they are more ambitious, more credulous, more anxious to get on rapidly, less experienced in business matters.

I quote the following from a recent publication without being responsible for its dependability:

"The better business bureaus estimate that through the purchase of worthless securities the women of this country will lose over \$700,000,000 during 1928. This enormous sum is but a small portion of the total that will be lost by women during the same period in real estate, unsound business ventures, etc. Insurance companies report that 90 per cent of estates over \$5,000 left to women are dissipated within seven years of receipt."

There must be a reason for this unfortunate situation if it is true, and it is. I cannot believe that it is attributable to the fact that women are more extravagant than men, that they are less shrewd or that they take risks more recklessly. I believe it can be explained for the most part from the fact that few women, married or single, are trained in financial matters. They are given much chance to handle money or to invest it, and when in middle life or later this responsibility is forced upon them it finds them ignorant of how best to assume that responsibility. Instead of going to some one who could set them right, they are ashamed to acknowledge their inexperience and so take the advice of those unscrupulous acquaintances who give it for their own profit without being asked.

Fathers should train their daughters in the management and investment of money. Husbands should let their wives know something of business matters. They catch on very quickly. I discover, and will shortly, if they get a good start, be able to give you advice that it would be quite wise to listen to.

A friend of mine, seventy years old or so, died a few years ago and left his wife a comfortable fortune in well invested bonds. She was as ignorant as a child, however. He had never told her anything. When a bond was called she thought some one was trying to cheat her or that she was likely to lose her money. A reinvestment in securities above par was incomprehensible to her. She was saved only by the fact that the executor of her husband's estate was honest and patient and firm. It is because so many women have husbands or fathers who keep them ignorant of financial matters that so many women go into bankruptcy when they are forced to manage their own affairs.

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"TRAINED WORKER" IS CRY OF INDUSTRIES

Chicago.—Demand for more trained men than the nation's colleges and universities can turn out has advanced the home-study school to first place in importance in America's adult educational scheme.

There is scarcely a branch of learning or a trade that the home-study student may not make his own. It is shown in a recent survey by Dr. John S. Noffsinger, secretary of the National Home-Study Council, 330 Seventh Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. The council is an association of the leading correspondence schools operating under a code of ethics designed to insure high standards of home-study education.

"Every year our association directs thousands of young men and women in educational courses to train them for positions for which they are best fitted, with the object of increasing their earning ability," said Doctor Noffsinger. "More than 200 separate courses of study are listed in the curricula of our member schools so that the problem resolves itself into what field is best for the student. He may apply himself to book illustrating or boiler making, carpentry or cartooning, church history or driving, dress making or combustion engines, poultry breeding or psychology, law or etching, geometry or banjo, magazine writing or navigation."

"It is the council's purpose to help him choose out of an almost limitless field the work which will suit his particular talents best. The demand for trained men is even greater than the field for study and the colleges and universities cannot supply the demand. Making the nation's homes into classrooms is the only way out of the difficulty and one which has been proved by thirty-five years of successful training of men and women by correspondence."

Read the Avalanche and get all the home news. It may not save your life but it will save you money

Smoking Baby Upsets Theories



Four-year-old Freddie Riggs of Seattle, Wash., being examined by Dr. Ira O. Brown, head of the Seattle school health department. Although Freddie has used tobacco in some form ever since he was ten months old, Doctor Brown says of him: "He is decidedly above the average. He is a year and a half physically above the average four-year-old. His heart, pulse and lungs are normal. He is one year mentally above the average four-year-old. I feel that the medical men can learn a worth-while lesson from this child. Tobacco increases the flow of saliva. In this case the tobacco did exactly that thing, thus aiding in the digestion of the child's food. In the second place tobacco has many chemicals in it, and one creosote. The creosote in this case was especially beneficial and relieved the fermentation of food. I have heard of adults benefiting from tobacco, but this is the first time I've heard of a baby thriving on it."

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Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES
OF THE AVANCEMENT OF 23 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, April 30, 1905

Mrs. John Rasmussen and their oldest son were in town the last of the week for a brief visit.

Mrs. J. M. Strong and daughter, of Sacramento, Cal., are visiting her sister, Mrs. H. E. Colburn.

Julius Nelson has raised the roof of his house one story and now has one of the most roomy and pleasant residences in the city.

Mrs. John Malco and the girl, of Maple Forest, were in town Saturday, since when we have been feasting on as fine a sample of maple syrup as we ever saw.

County Treasurer Becker has purchased the N. P. Michelson house, opposite the Presbyterian church, and has taken possession. It will make a delightful home.

Mr. F. L. Michelson, with his wife and boy, and Mrs. Lantz, spent Easter Sunday at the paternal home here. Mrs. Michelson and her mother go to Columbus, O., this week for a short visit.

Adler Jorgenson began raising his house, the late Claggett residence, for a basement, but changed his mind and is moving it on his vacant lot on Maple street and will build new for himself on the old site.

O. F. Barnes this week secured from the state fish hatchery at Northville forty thousand young trout which he has planted in the South Branch in the springs opposite his headquarters.

Thursday, May 5, 1905

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nellette, Sunday, April 23, a son.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Sorenson, Sunday, April 23, a son.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. George Belmore of Beaver Creek, on Satur-

day, April 29, 1905, a ten-pound boy. Village President H. A. Bauman started for New Orleans Saturday night. He will be gone about two weeks.

Miss Maggie McPhee who has been stopping with Mrs. C. S. Clark this winter, has returned to Bay City and will go into the hospital as nurse.

G. L. Alexander went up to the Fontenelle clubhouse Saturday so as to be thoroughly rested to catch the first trout Monday morning, and he got it.

M. A. Bates started for Battle Creek Tuesday, where he will represent the local lodge of Modern Woodmen at the meeting of their state encampment.

Yesterday morning we noticed Arthur Fournier taking the cars for Detroit, acting as chaperon for his father and mother, whom he will give an outing in the metropolis.

Henry Bates of Maple Forest was in town Saturday and said the forest fires last week were the hottest he ever saw in the hardwood. One forty acres of maple was entirely killed. Friday night's rain extinguished the flames.

It's fair enough. The voter believes what the candidate promises, and the candidate relies on the voter's promise.—San Francisco Chronicle.

A hypocrite these days is a man who eats clover so as to make his friends believe he is rich enough to buy a drink.—Hartford Courant.

Begins to look as if the two big political parties may be compelled hereafter to acquire campaign funds by selling shoestrings.—Toledo Blade.

United States census that this country is richer than ever before. And with fewer than any, potatoes being worn.—Detroit Free Press.

Idea of plumbers holding a convention to discuss means to make their business is like trying to gild Standard Oil Stock.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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OUR WOMEN VOTERS



"How do you expect to vote this election?"
"Oh, I guess in my brown suit, and new slacker toque."

COULD MAKE HER MARK



Prof.—Ignorance was general in ancient times. Cleopatra probably could not write her name.
Stud.—But she could make her mark.

SAME REASON



Reggie—I don't know why I'm under the weather so, Miss Sharpe.
Miss Sharpe—For the same reason that you never come in out of the rain, Mr. Sapp.

TOOK HIM OFF HIS FEET



Tourist—There's one wonderful thing about the Italian country that just took me off my feet.
Friend—And what was that?
Tourist—Its earthquakes.

OBVIOUS



"What would you do, Gert, if you got fired out of the chorus?"
"Oh, I guess I'd give up the stage."

MIGHT HELP



"Jack is a terrible backbiter."
"Well why do you wear your dresses so low?"



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While the donkey and the elephant are cavorting, the hoofbeats of the camel will be disturbing to many.—Omaha Bee-News.

Out in Montana they have what is called "hen hootch." Five drinks and a man lays in the gutter.—Florida Times-Union.

For Sports Wear



For practical sports wear, the brushed wool costume Marceline Day wears for golfing is extremely good. It is a two-piece model with the blouse striped, with peasant colors. A brown leather belt is worn with the frock.

ORDER ISSUED BY AUTHORITY OF ACT 230 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1925, PROHIBITING FISHING IN HOWE LAKE, CRAWFORD COUNTY, FOR A PERIOD OF THREE YEARS FROM SEPTEMBER 1, 1926.

State of Michigan) ss
County of Ingham)

The Director of Conservation, having made a thorough investigation of fishing conditions in Howe Lake, Crawford County, recommends certain regulations.

THEREFORE, the Conservation Commission by authority of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1925, hereby orders that for a period of three years from the first day of September, 1926, it shall be unlawful to take or attempt to take any kind of fish from the waters of Howe Lake, Crawford County, under penalties provided by Section 5 of Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1925.

Signed, sealed, and ordered published this fifteenth day of June, 1926.

JOHN BAIRD
Director, Department of Conservation.
Conservation Commission by:
W. H. Wallace, Chairman.
Edgar Cochran, Secretary. 5-10-1

FREDERIC FLASHES

May flowers—Yes, they are here. Our Highway Commissioner, Erve Roe, is busy patching up and reconditioning to Township roads.

Albert Lewis brought home a brand new "Chrysler" and took a party of his friends over to Beaverton, just to see how she could run.

Otis Weaver, new Supt. of Ward's fruit farm, is busy pruning trees and repairing buildings—much to the improvement of the place.

Mrs. Abbie Goshorn has been seriously ill during the past few days—better at this writing.

Ex-Rev. J. S. Highlen was an active member of the "Tin Can" (clean up) committee, last week. The State police did it the previous week.

The "Just Us Club" met Monday evening; all officers present except B. S. Cadmus, literature agent.

ORDER ISSUED BY AUTHORITY OF ACT 230 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1925, LIMITING THE NUMBER OF BROOK TROUT WHICH MAY BE TAKEN AND HAD IN POSSESSION FOR A PERIOD OF FIVE YEARS FROM THE FIRST DAY OF MAY, 1926.

County of Ingham) ss
The Director of Conservation, having made a thorough investigation of conditions relative to brook trout fishing, recommends the closing of the trout streams for a specified period.

THEREFORE, the Conservation Commission by authority of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1925, hereby orders that for a period of five years from the first day of May, 1926, it shall be unlawful to take in any one day more than fifteen brook trout or to have in possession more than twenty-five of these fish taken from the inland waters of the State under penalties provided by Section 5 of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1925.

Signed, sealed, and ordered published this 8th day of February, 1926.

JOHN BAIRD
Director, Department of Conservation.
Conservation Commission by:
W. H. Wallace, Chairman.
Edgar Cochran, Secretary. 5-10-1

ORDER ISSUED BY AUTHORITY OF ACT 230 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1925, CLOSING THE STREAMS OF THE STATE TO BROOK TROUT FISHING FOR A PERIOD OF FIVE YEARS COMMENCING ON THE FIRST DAY OF MAY, 1926.

County of Ingham) ss
The Director of Conservation, having made a thorough investigation of conditions relative to brook trout fishing, recommends the closing of the trout streams for a specified period.

THEREFORE, the Conservation Commission by authority of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1925, hereby orders that for a period of five years from the first day of May, 1926, it shall be unlawful for any person to take, catch, or kill or attempt to take, catch, or kill any brook trout in the rivers and streams of the State, excepting those rivers and streams designated or to be designated by the Conservation Commission, under penalties provided by Section 5 of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1925.

Signed, sealed, and ordered published this twenty-first day of September, 1925.

JOHN BAIRD
Director, Department of Conservation.
Conservation Commission by:
W. H. Wallace, Chairman.
Edgar Cochran, Secretary. 5-10-1

ORDER ISSUED BY AUTHORITY OF ACT 230 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1925, REGULATING THE TAKING OF LARGE AND SMALL MOUTH BLACK BASS IN THE INLAND WATERS OF THE LOWER PENINSULA OF THE STATE FOR A PERIOD OF THREE YEARS COMMENCING JUNE 16TH, 1928.

State of Michigan) ss
County of Ingham)

The Director of Conservation, having made a thorough investigation of conditions relative to bass fishing in the inland waters of the State, recommends certain regulations.

THEREFORE, the Conservation Commission by authority of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1925, hereby orders that for a period of three years from the sixteenth day of June, 1928, it shall be unlawful for any person to take, catch, or kill, or attempt to take, catch, or kill, any large or small mouth black bass in any one day in excess of five of these fish or to have in possession more than ten of these fish at any one time under penalties provided by Section 5 of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1925.

Signed, sealed, and ordered published this second day of March, 1928.

Acting Director Department of Conservation.

Conservation Commission by:
Howard B. Bloomer, Chairman.
J. Russell Jontz, Secretary. 5-10-3

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling in said county, on the sixteenth day of April A. D. 1928.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John H. Hartman, deceased.

Fred H. Hartman, a son of said deceased having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration and settlement of said estate be granted to Russell A. Stevens or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the fourteenth day of May A. D. 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avancement, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

GEORGE SORENSON,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy
GEORGE SORENSON,
Judge of Probate. 4-19-3



CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
Service at 10 o'clock A. M.
Each Sunday Legion Hall
Everyone cordially invited
SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00 O'CLOCK
All children welcome.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Emus Anderson, single, to Constance Johnson, dated the 11 day of July A. D. 1922, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 11 day of July A. D. 1922 in Liber H of mortgages, on page 356 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of eight hundred twenty-four and twenty-nine hundredths dollars, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday the 2 day of June, A. D. 1928, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the courthouse in the Village of Grayling that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Crawford is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with six per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with statutory attorney fees to wit: the east half of the southwest quarter of section 2, town 26N, range 4W.

CONSTANCE JOHNSON,
Mortgagee.

Merle F. Nellist,
Attorney for mortgagee,
Grayling, Michigan 3-8-13

TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LANDS HEREIN DESCRIBED:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a conveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the land lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute Proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land:
STATE OF MICHIGAN,
County of Crawford.

SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 sec. 16, town 25N, range 2W. Amount paid \$6.67 tax for year 1920.

SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 sec. 16, town 25N, range 2W. Amount paid \$6.38. Tax for year 1921.

SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 sec. 16, town 25N, range 2W. Amount paid \$6.17. Tax for year 1922.

SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 sec. 16, town 25N, range 2W. Amount paid \$4.40. Tax for year 1923.

SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 sec. 16, town 25N, range 2W held on condition of purchase. Amount paid \$4.04. Tax for year 1924.

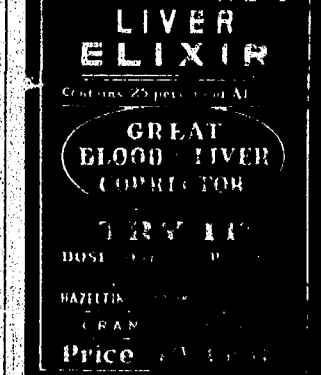
ERNEST P. RICHARDSON,
Place of business, Roscommon, Michigan.

To Adison Reynolds last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

STATE OF MICHIGAN,) ss
County of Crawford)

I do hereby certify and return, that the within notice was delivered to me for service on the 2nd day of March, 1928, and that after careful inquiry, which has been continued from that time until this date, I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of Adison Reynolds, the person appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County, to be the last grantee in the regular chain of title to the within described lands at the said date of the said delivery of such notice to me for service or of the mortgage named in all undischarged recorded mortgages or of assignee of record of said mortgage of said premises.

J. E. BOBENMOYER,
Sheriff of said County.
Dated April 5, 1928. 4-12-4
My fees \$35.



For Sale by
MAC & GIDLEY

TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LANDS HEREIN DESCRIBED:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a conveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the land lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute Proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land:
STATE OF MICHIGAN,
County of Crawford.

The Southeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of sec. 26, town 26N, range 1W. Amount paid \$5.30 tax for year 1922.

The Southeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of sec. 26, town 26N, range 1W. Amount paid \$4.11 tax for year 1923.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$23.82 plus the fees of the Sheriff.

HENRY A. BAUMAN,
Place of business Grayling, Michigan.

To George P. Linderman and Carrie Linderman, last grantees in the regular chain title of such lands, or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

Walter Jorgenson, grantee under the tax deed issued by the Auditor General for the latest year's taxes appearing of record in said registry of deeds. 4-12-4

DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION FOR THE STATE OF MICHIGAN

Lansing, April 24, 1928
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the following described abandoned tax lands, situate in the county of Crawford, deeded to the State by the auditor general under provisions of Sec. 127 of Act 206, Public Acts of 1893 and acts amendatory thereto, have been withdrawn from homestead claim by the auditor general and director of conservation acting jointly, as authorized and empowered by Section 131 of Act 155 Public Acts of 1927, examined and appraised and will be placed in market by offering them for sale at a Public Auction to be held at his office, Room 304 State Office Building, City of Lansing, on Monday, June 4, 1928 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which time they will become subject to purchase in the manner prescribed by law.

In the event of a sale the deed or deeds by which they are conveyed to the purchaser or purchasers will contain a clause reserving to the State of Michigan all rights in any mineral, oil, or gas found lying or being on, within or under the said lands, and also reserving to the People of the State of Michigan the rights of ingress and egress over and across the same if lying along any water-course or stream, as required by Section 456, compiled laws of 1915.

GEORGE R. HOGARTH,
Acting Director of Conservation.
Description
NW 1/4 1/4 of SW 1/4 Section 19, Town 26N, Range 3W, Acres 28.08.
S 1/4 1/4 of SW 1/4 Section 19, Town 26N, Range 3W, Acres 68.70. 4-26-5

DIRECTORY

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL
PROBATE COURT
Crawford County, Mich.

Sessions—First and Third Monday of every month.

Hours:—9:00 to 11:00 a. m., and 1:30 to 5:00 p. m.

Any information and first Proceeding in connection with this Court will be had at my office at Sorenson Bros.

GEORGE SORENSON
Judge of Probate

Mac & Gidley
Registered Pharmacists

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18 and 341 Grayling

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Successor to Crawford County Exchange Bank
MARIUS HANSON
Proprietor

Interest paid on certificates of deposit. Collections promptly attended to. All accommodations extended that are consistent with safe and conservative banking.

Marius Hanson, Cashier.

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Drs. Keyport & Clippert
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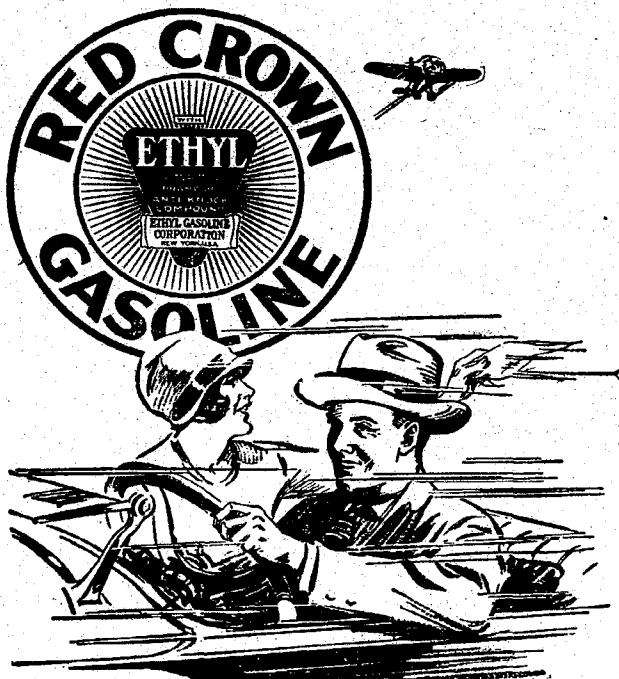
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Saturday evening between 8 and 9 o'clock a good time to call up.

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GRAYLING, MICHIGAN



Fly Time

18

Screen Time

The best way to be rid of flies this summer is to keep them out before they have a chance to get in and ruin things.

Screen Now, and be fly free this season

Hanson Hardware Co.

PHONE 21

Local News

THURSDAY, MAY 10, 1928

Hale Burrows of Detroit spent the week end fishing the trout streams.

Carl Smith of Niles is visiting his family here a few days this week.

M. A. Bates, Tony Nelson and Emil Kraus were in Gaylord on business Wednesday morning.

Whitman's and Lambert's candy in special Mother's Day packing. We attend to mailing and packing. Central Drug Store.

GROCERIES

Closing Out

EVERYTHING
GOES THIS WEEK

LAST CHANCE IF YOU WANT TO
SAVE DOLLARS

Lay in a stock while you have the chance.

Grab while the grabbing is good

Next week will be too late.
This store closes this week.
You will be the sorry one if
you don't lay in a big stock
at this time.

H. Petersen

Grocer

Phone 25

Mother's
Day

Flowers

Mother's Day was originally, and is yet, intended as a day for remembering Mother with Flowers. Our ample assortment provides plenty from which you may choose.

Grayling Greenhouses

Phone 444

Special attention to
Mail orders



See the Men's Oxfords for \$4.95 at Olsen's.

Take your prescriptions to the Central Drug Store.

We are showing thirty new patterns of inlaid and printed linoleum. Sorenson Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rockwell of Gaylord, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Joseph Sunday.

Mrs. J. K. Hanson is enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. Louis Jensen from Ewen, Mich.

Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Clippert, motored to Bay City Sunday on business, returning Monday.

Miss Mildred Ostrander is visiting her sister, Mrs. LeRoy Scott and husband at Roscommon.

The L. N. L. will have their social party Wednesday evening, May 16th at the Legion Hall.

Mrs. Clarence Brown is spending the week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woodruff.

Oak Coca Cola barrels for sale. We have 40, 10 and 5 gallon barrels. Central Drug Store.

Our spring 1-cent sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 24-25-26. Mac & Gidley, the Rexall Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Welsh returned the last of the week from a business trip spent in Grand Rapids and Detroit.

Murray A. McKenna, Deputy State Fire marshal was in Grayling the first of the week looking over conditions of fire hazards.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Chappel are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son born Saturday, who will be known as Dale Dean.

C. M. Patschert and Kai Hanson of Detroit visited at the Rasmu Jorgenson home over the week end. While her they enjoyed trout fishing on the Au Sable.

William Blair and David Keay of Flint, and Dr. Best of Jackson visited H. C. Schmidt over the week end and while here enjoyed a fishing trip on the Au Sable.

Saturday, May 12th is National Hospital Day and Mercy Hospital, Grayling, wishes to extend to everyone a cordial invitation to visit the hospital on that date.

Each day finds the Grayling golf links filled with golf enthusiasts. Those from out of town who enjoy the game here, say that our course is one of the best of its size.

Mrs. R. D. Connine returned from Detroit Sunday where she has been spending the winter with her son Harry and family. She was accompanied home by Harry who remained until Monday.

Clare Smith motored up from Lansing Saturday to accompany his wife and little daughter home, who have been spending the past week visiting Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McNeven and family.

Don't forget the benefit dance for Mercy Hospital, given by the Alumnae Nurses, at the Officers Club House, Lake Margrothe, Wednesday, May 16. Tickets per couple \$1.50, extra lady and spectators 50c. Let us help the hospital by a large attendance.

The residence and furniture owned by Mr. and Mrs. John Yuill of Vandarbilt, was completely destroyed by fire, Tuesday. Mrs. Yuill was doing some cleaning with gasoline which resulted in an explosion. She escaped with minor burns. Mrs. Yuill was formerly Miss Lillian Ziebell of Grayling.

Little Mary Rasmussen entertained a party of her little friends Monday after school, in honor of her birthday. Games were enjoyed by the little folks after which a delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Rasmussen. Favors of small birch bark baskets filled with trailing arbutus were passed out to each guest. Miss Mary was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

Girls are better looking than they used to be because they have learned to give their complexions the proper care. For a complete assortment of toilet goods of quality, stop in at Central Drug store today.

Willys-Overland
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Whippet and Willys-Knight Cars

NEW MODEL "WHIPPET SIX" NOW ON DISPLAY

Phone or call for demonstration

Expert Repair Service

Moshier Garage

U. S.-27—Corner Cedar
Ogemaw Sts.

See the line of Men's Walk Over dress oxfords at Olson's.

Guy Peterson of Johannesburg was a Grayling business caller Wednesday.

Leo Schram returned to Owosso Monday after a few days visit with his parents.

Fresh Cream Cottage Cheese delivered daily. Grayling Creamery.

If you want a real bargain on a slightly damaged kodak see us. Sorenson Bros.

Hans L. Peterson motored to Ann Arbor Sunday and visited his wife who is a patient at University Hospital.

Mother's Day is May 13th. Remember the best friend you ever had with a nice box of candy. Central Drug Store.

Miss Alberta Knibbs gave a party to some of her little friends Saturday afternoon, the occasion being her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Payson of Toledo, arrived last Thursday to spend the summer at their cabin on the Au Sable.

L. E. Johnson of Saginaw visited Mr. and Mrs. Alex La Grow over the week end, and while here enjoyed a fishing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waldron motored to Prescott Sunday and spent the day with the latter's father, Edward Waldron.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lewis and son Mark motored up from Flint Friday. Mr. Lewis and Mark remained in Grayling for the week end visiting friends, returning home Monday. Mrs. Lewis was called to Newberry account of the death of her mother, Mrs. A. D. Campbell, who passed away Thursday from heart trouble. Mrs. Campbell was 70 years of age, and was well known in Grayling, having often visited Mrs. Lewis here.

Mrs. A. J. Trudeau, Mrs. Walker and Arnold Burrows, daughter Wilma and son Merton, motored to Detroit Sunday. Mr. Burrows taking Merton there to consult physicians in regards to the young man's condition which is much improved since his recent serious operation. Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Trudeau will remain for longer visits. Mrs. Trudeau visiting her daughters Mrs. Lawrence Roberts, Mrs. Arthur Capstraw and Miss Gertrude at Ferndale.

The "happy medium" in dentifrices—that's what many people here in Grayling call Parke, Davis & Co.'s Tooth Paste. Not too mild, not too harsh. It really cleans your teeth. A big purple-and-gold tube, 50c. At Central Drug Store, of course.

(Additional local news on last page)



On Either Hand

Take your choice of either hand when you come here to buy a pie, and you will be well satisfied. The only difference is in the filling. These pies are fresh every day—and always good.

MODEL BAKERY

A. R. CRAIG, Prop.

Phone 162

May 13th is
MOTHER'S DAY

FOR MOTHER---On this day set aside to honor all mothers, remember your own mother with an appropriate gift, an expression of your affection for her.

To help you decide on something nice, we are listing these gifts: Many others are here in the store for your choosing.

Silk Hose, Excellent Quality

50c - \$1.00 \$1.50 \$1.65 \$1.95

Silk Gloves \$1.50 Handkerchiefs 10c. to 50c.

Silk Underwear, Bloomers, Step-ins, Gowns and Vests

\$1.00 to \$2.98

**Luncheon and Bridge Sets,
Bed Lamps, Silk Pillows.**

Grayling Mercantile Co.

The Quality Store

Grayling, Michigan

Phone 1251

Piano Tuning

Will be in Grayling about

May 15th

to do tuning and repairing.

Please leave orders with
SORENSEN & SONS

M. A. Morford

DANCE SATURDAY AND SUNDAY NIGHTS

At Johnson's Rustic Dance Palace

Houghton Lake Forest

On U. S. 27, Near Prudenville

Fuller's Orchestra

Dime a Dance

Admission Free

Grayling Opera House
Sunday and Monday
May 13 and 14

with **BELLE BENNETT** & **PHYLLIS HAYER**
DONALD REITH



You ask for strong drama—fine acting, powerful direction.

Well, here is Jannings, the screen's emotional giant, as he who dared to defy a man who goes "The way of all Flesh."

A characterization you'll never forget. The drama you'll always remember.

EMIL JANNINGS
'The Way of All Flesh'

It is nearly the perfect Picture

Don't forget the opera "The Girl in the Glass" on May 18th.

Misses Margaret Jensen and Ruth McNeven expect to motor to Lansing Saturday to spend the week end.

Corvin Auto Sales Co., has added the Chrysler to their list of cars. They are now the local dealers for the Hudson, Essex and Chrysler cars.

The electric table lamp that is to be given away at the evening of the Mercy Hospital Alumnae dance is on display in the Peterson jewelry store window.

There was a good attendance at the Grange meeting Saturday afternoon and a fine interesting program was given. There was a lively discussion of farm problems. The next meeting will be held May 19th.

Friends of Mrs. Otto Shreve will be pleased to learn she is improving very nicely after having a complication of ailments. Lately, she had a very bad wisdom tooth extracted at Mrs. Shreve's home on Monday morning. Mrs. Shreve left for her home down the river, at Linger Longer. Her husband came to accompany her home.

Several friends of Miss Jean Thorne surprised her Monday evening at the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Darveau, it being the young lady's birthday. The evening was spent in dancing. A birthday cake with lighted tapers formed part of the dainty luncheon served by the hostess. Miss Jean received many beautiful gifts.

With guests coming from towns surrounding Grayling, the Nurses Alumnae dance for the benefit of Mercy Hospital promises to be the most enjoyable of the early summer affairs. It will take place next Wednesday evening, May 16th at the Officer's Club House at the Military reservation. Prices \$1.50 per couple; 50c for extra lady or spectator.

The annual meeting and election of officers of Portage lodge K. of P. was postponed from Wednesday evening to Friday, May 11, on account of the Senior play at the school house Wednesday night. The election of officers will be held Friday night and every knight is urged to be present.

The Carl Sorenson barber shop has been redecorated and is now one of the prettiest shops anywhere in the north. Sanitary wall covering has been put on and hand panned as Walder Jensen knows so well how to do. The color scheme is tan and deep blue and the effect is handsome. A new linoleum floor covering harmonizing with the general color scheme, makes that shop exceptionally attractive.

Frederic School Notes

Editor—Mary Bender.
Assistant editor—Doris Corsaut.

The boys of the Ottawa Handicraft Club are nearing the completion of the work they undertook at the beginning of the school year. Many members of the club have finished the required articles in woodwork, and waiting for "Varnishing and Finishing Day."

The exhibit of the Boys' and Girls' Club work in handicraft and needle work, will be held in the near future. Mr. A. G. Kettunen and Miss Wixson, both State Club leaders, will award the prizes at that time.

There were many happy faces in Frederic Tuesday, for school was dismissed to allow students a chance to go fishing the first day of the season. The Zoology class has a bird list in the laboratory and the students are making record of all the birds they see. The class is planning a bird hunt for early Thursday morning.

Intermediate Dept.—The High School girls have been enjoying our ball during the noon hour.

The 5th grade are nearly thru with their drill books in arithmetic. Their scores have been good.

We received our report cards last Wednesday. We keep them the next time we get them.

The pupils from this department have to make up time taken for leaving the room. The per centage has decreased under the new ruling.

Pupils of this department are taking advantage of the showers lately. They are free to all.

Liland Charron ciphered down the three grades last Friday afternoon. Beulah Harmon and Billy Armstrong are absent again. Visitors always welcome.

Mrs. Odell, teacher.

Primary Room—Second and third graders sewed cards Friday afternoon after we had all our classes. They are very neat sewers.

Come and visit us, only five weeks left.

Miss Barber, teacher.

LOVELLS NEWS

Mr. Ed. Kellogg is enjoying a visit from his brother.

Miss Della Budd, Miss Cora Nephew and Mrs. Francis Nephew and baby Lorna Deer were callers in Grayling last week.

Mrs. Mike Lux is visiting her daughter in Ohio.

Mr. Fred Rowe of Detroit and a friend are spending a few days here.

Mrs. George Stuart has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Deguchard of Flint were at "The Nash Kamp" for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pochon of Detroit spent the week end at their cabin "The Fighting Deer."

Hazen Keen returned to his home at Higgins Lake.

The cabin of John Smith of Ann Arbor is completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ewing and little granddaughter have returned to "The Boutell Cabin" for the summer.

Mr. Len Phillips of Roscommon was in Lovells Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pops, Muri Burpee and Clifford Schanek of Mio were in Lovells Monday.

Edgar Douglas and his bride are staying with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Douglas until their furniture comes.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stillwagon gathered at their home Friday evening for a farewell party. Mrs. Stillwagon has bought a restaurant at Lewiston. They have been residents in Lovells for twenty-one years. Their many friends will miss them.

Mrs. Jack Hannan was here visiting her sisters, Mrs. T. E. Douglas and Mrs. Clarence Stillwagon.

The Robert Feldhauser family have moved into the Stillwagon house.

Quite a few school children have been having chicken pox.

Mr. and Mrs. John Payne of Frederic were callers here last week.

Brevster Loud and Peter McPhail were at the Loud cabin for a short while.

William B. Mershon and a party of friends of Saginaw are enjoying the first days of fishing season at the Mershon cabin.

MAPLE FOREST NEWS

Mrs. Alfred Hummel had the misfortune to run a pitch fork in her foot but it is getting along nicely now.

J. Skinner has taken possession of the Hunter farm. Hunters having moved to Grayling. We are sorry to see them leave, but welcome the new family.

Mr. Weaver of Frederic has taken possession of the Ward orchard. We wish him the best of luck.

Gordon Forbush has moved back to Frederic.

The farmers are quite busy with their spring work.

Subscribe for the Avalanche.

Unusual Spring Coat



Myrna Loy, star of "The Crimson City," has selected this unusual coat for spring sports wear. The material is reminiscent of an Indian blanket, with its red-and-white box design. The coat, skirt length, is simply made with no trimmings except a flower on each lapel.

Dale of Vermont, McMaster of South Dakota, Berkeley of Kentucky and Bratton of New Mexico. Senator Robinson, the minority leader, who presented the resolution, made no charges of improper methods in the present pre-convention campaign, but said it was considered desirable to have a committee go into the matter just as the Borah committee did in 1924 and the Kenyon committee in 1920.

BY A vote of 204 to 121 the house passed the Haugen farm relief bill, which is almost identical with the McNary measure passed by the senate. Both contain the equalization fee feature which is especially objectionable to the President, and it was taken for granted that he would veto the bill that comes out of conference. Nearly all the western and southern representatives voted for the Haugen bill. The eastern Republicans voted against it, but it was supported by a considerable number of Tammany Democrats.

Veto by President Coolidge also is expected for the flood relief measure which was reported to the house by the conference committee, since the conferees insisted on retaining the floodage rights feature to which he objects.

PARTY lines were drawn quite sharply when the senate began debating the tax reduction bill. Republicans on the finance committee had cut down the total reduction of the house bill from \$200,000,000 to about \$200,000,000, which is the limit placed by the Treasury department. The Democrats still insisted on a total reduction of \$325,000,000. The fight was mainly over the corporation tax, the Republicans wishing this cut from 18 1/2 to 12 1/2 per cent and the Democrats arguing for a cut to 11 or at most 11 1/2 per cent. The Democrats also would retain the graduated scale of rates for

"My Henry has been on the flat of his back for a whole week."

"My, I didn't know he was ill."

"He's not. He's been overhauling the machine."

YES, THAT'S IT



She—Why do men wear those unsightly suspenders?

He—Why—er—er—just to keep their shirts from flying off, you know.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Smith's Victory in California Seems to Make Nomination Certain.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD.

UNLESS most of the political prophets are sadly fooled, California last week settled the Democratic national convention at Houston, so far as the Presidential nomination is concerned. Few of them how venture any other prediction than that Al Smith has the prize all wrapped up, and it is generally believed that the rush to get into the band wagon will result in the nomination of the New York governor on the first ballot, though by acclamation. The California primary was admittedly a test for Smith, for McAdoo strove to lead the dry Democrats of his state into the Walsh camp, and Senator Reed also was a live contender for the preference vote. But McAdoo fell down so badly that the Montana senator ran third. Reed standing in second place, Smith's victory was decisive, his vote being greater than the combined votes of the other two. With most of the precincts heard from, the result in round numbers was: Smith, 138,000; Reed, 53,000; Walsh, 46,000. Of the 58 counties, all but one were won by Smith. Imperial county was claimed for Reed. Former Senator James D. Phelan, head of the Smith delegation, has displaced McAdoo as the Democratic leader of California. The vets rejoiced in the apparent fact that the state had joined the wet column, but Dr. Arthur H. Briggs, head of the California Anti-Saloon league, asserted the wet and dry issue was not a determining factor in the fight.

Smith's delegates to Houston now number 497, this total including 157 uninstructed but known to favor him. He is expected to garner about 140 more in the next few weeks and to go into the convention with at least 635 votes. His managers believe the Ohio and Maryland delegations will be quick to shift to Smith, and that many of the Reed delegates also will climb into the band wagon promptly.

Wilbur Leggett of California, state manager for Reed, asked Josephus Daniels by wire if he would run for vice president on a third party ticket headed by Senator Reed or Senator Borah. Mr. Daniels replied that he would not accept a nomination on any third party ticket, and declared the only hope of wresting the government from the hands of "privilege and corruption" lies in a victory by the Democratic party. He said he intended to support the nominees of the Houston convention and believed enough dry Democrats would be elected to congress to guarantee no weakening of the prohibition laws.

Claude G. Bowers, an editorial writer of the New York Evening World and a political historian of note, was selected by the Democratic convention arrangements committee to be temporary chairman at Houston and to deliver the keynote speech. This choice had been expected.

HERBERT HOOVER was unopposed in the California Republican primary, but the Republicans flocked to the polls to vote for him in surprising numbers. The total G. O. P. vote cast was more than twice as large as the Democratic vote. The Golden state delegation of 23 gives Hoover an estimated total of 338 delegates to date, though 211 of these are uninstructed. His supporters now claim he will enter the convention with 526 votes, only 19 short of the necessary 545 majority. Last week the Tennessee Republican convention endorsed Hoover and also instructed the state's delegates at large to vote for Congressman J. Q. Tilson of Connecticut for vice president.

PROBABLY it will not cost as much to nominate and elect a President this year as it has sometimes in the past, for the senate has adopted a resolution for an inquiry into the campaign contributions and expenditures of both parties. The special committee named by Vice President Davies includes Stetson of Oregon, chairman; Dale of Vermont, McMaster of South Dakota, Berkeley of Kentucky and Bratton of New Mexico. Senator Robinson, the minority leader, who presented the resolution, made no charges of improper methods in the present pre-convention campaign, but said it was considered desirable to have a committee go into the matter just as the Borah committee did in 1924 and the Kenyon committee in 1920.

BY A vote of 204 to 121 the house passed the Haugen farm relief bill, which is almost identical with the McNary measure passed by the senate. Both contain the equalization fee feature which is especially objectionable to the President, and it was taken for granted that he would veto the bill that comes out of conference. Nearly all the western and southern representatives voted for the Haugen bill. The eastern Republicans voted against it, but it was supported by a considerable number of Tammany Democrats.

Veto by President Coolidge also is expected for the flood relief measure which was reported to the house by the conference committee, since the conferees insisted on retaining the floodage rights feature to which he objects.

PARTY lines were drawn quite sharply when the senate began debating the tax reduction bill. Republicans on the finance committee had cut down the total reduction of the house bill from \$200,000,000 to about \$200,000,000, which is the limit placed by the Treasury department. The Democrats still insisted on a total reduction of \$325,000,000. The fight was mainly over the corporation tax, the Republicans wishing this cut from 18 1/2 to 12 1/2 per cent and the Democrats arguing for a cut to 11 or at most 11 1/2 per cent. The Democrats also would retain the graduated scale of rates for

corporations with incomes of \$100,000 or less as voted by the house. Senator Smith rejected the debate in the senate would last over a week.

HARRY SINCLAIR appeared before the senate's Tariff Committee and told something of the Continental Trading company deal, but not near enough to satisfy the investigators. He talked skillfully with Chairman Nye and the others and made few admissions except that he had received \$25,000 of the Continental's profits, which again, with interest, he said he had recently turned over to the Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing company. The committee is making up its report, but expects later to investigate the oil leases in the Salt Creek field.

RETURNING from Washington, where they attended the funeral of Floyd Bennett, the German-Irish transatlantic flyers were given the usual uproarious reception that New York accords to such celebrities. It included parades, banquets, and valor medals and the aviators were almost worn out by the attentions showered upon them. Next they journeyed back to the national capital where they were officially welcomed to the United States by Secretary Kellogg with dignified ceremony. They lunched at the White House and President Coolidge pinned on their breasts the distinguished flying crosses which congress had voted them. In Arlington National cemetery they laid wreaths on the tomb of the Unknown Soldier. Among those who greeted them in Washington was Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, who had flown there in his "Spirit of St. Louis" for the purpose of placing that famous plane in the Smithsonian institution. Thursday Baron von Huenefeld, Captain Koehl and Major Fitzmaurice flew to New York to arrange for their air tour of the East and Middle West.

Gen. Umberto Nobile and companions left Stolp, Germany, Thursday in the airship Italia for Spitzbergen, 1,700 miles away. The Italian explorers plan to make several flights over the polar regions during the summer.

DELEGATES from all parts of the world are assembled in Kansas City in attendance on the quadrennial general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church. They have a lot of business on hand, but it is not likely their doings will be tinged with sensationalism, since at the start they voted overwhelmingly against a formal discussion of fundamentalism and modernism. In their episcopal address the 44 bishops recommended that full advantage be taken of the chance to assign responsibilities to younger members of the church. They held the possibility of a world union of Christian churches to be beyond consideration at present. Among the laity there is a strong movement for the democratization of the church government, including the election of bishops for a term of years instead of for life.

The conference approved a court of 17 members to try Bishop East of Copenhagen on charges arising out of his conviction in civil court of misusing church funds. Rev. Fred S. Stone of Chicago was chosen prosecutor.

CHIANG Kai-shek, generalissimo of the Chinese Nationalists, has moved his headquarters to Tsinan, capital of Shantung province, and is laying his plans for the final drive against Peking and the armies of Chang Tso-lin. It is reported that Chiang has gathered 100,000 men in the vicinity of Tachow, where there is a large arsenal, and presumably the next big battle will be in that area. The situation between the Nationalists and the Japanese was relieved when the former agreed to reopen the Shantung railway and permit the Japanese troops to operate between Tientsin and Tsinanfu. But the Nationalists in Shanghai are keeping up their anti-Japanese boycott.

JOHN BULL is likely to cancel his agreement to help Uncle Sam stop the smuggling of illicit liquor into the United States, for he is getting greatly peeved over the impetuous actions of some of the American rum chasers. Coast guard boats have been entering Bahama and Bermuda ports without warrant, and foreign ships have been seized by them allegedly without right. The British government made formal protest, and Secretary Kellogg, after replying in apologetic tone, ordered all coast guard craft to remain away from Bermuda ports. Only a few days ago, too, Canadian authorities complained that our enforcement agents in the Detroit area were firing shots that crossed the river and endangered the lives of Canadians. This was denied by Washington.

EGYPT isn't going to lose its independence just yet, but it must mind its step. Great Britain's protest against the Egyptian "public assemblies bill," which it was said would hamper the protection of foreigners, was followed up by the sending of several warships to Alexandria and open threats to reduce the country again to a dependency. But the Egyptian government postponed consideration of the objectionable measure and the warships were called off. However, Foreign Secretary Chamberlain warned Egypt that there must be no revival of the controversy.

GERMANY has unqualifiedly accepted Secretary Kellogg's proposals for a multi-lateral treaty to outlaw war. The Berlin government indorses the plan enthusiastically and says it is ready to enter negotiations with the leading powers for the consummation of such a pact. The German note holds unfounded the French fear that an unconditional anti-war treaty would conflict with the League of Nations or a nation's right of self-defense, and takes the position that reservations to the American draft treaty are unnecessary.

PREMIER RAYMOND POINCARRE won a big victory in the French parliamentary elections and is assured of a working majority of about one hundred in the chamber of deputies. The country thus gave evidence that it wishes him to continue his task of

putting its finances in order without interference from the radicals who had threatened his plans with destruction. As a preliminary to stabilization of the franc the premier has announced a heavy loan to reimburse the bank of France for advances to the state.

BATHS of the week include that of Congressman Thaddeus Sweet of New York, killed in the crash of an airplane; and of Palmer E. Anderson, United States marshal for the northern Illinois district. Mr. Anderson has been succeeded by H. C. W. Laubenthal.

HOW MUCH IS LEFT?



"Would you marry a man who simply throws his money away?" "Oh, I don't know! Has he got any money left?"

AN OVERSIGHT



Customer—You made a big mistake in your last prescription you filled for me. Druggist—That seems scarcely possible. We are always very careful. Customer—But you did. You charged me only two dollars and I had lots more money than that.

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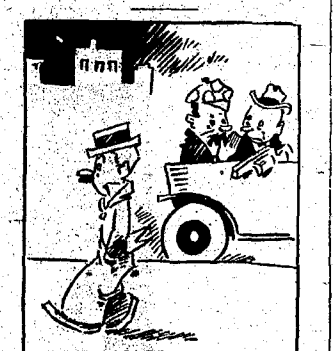
She—I think married men should wear something to distinguish them from single ones. He—They do—a worried look.

WONDERFUL VISTA



He—There's a wonderful vista here. She—If you'd pay more attention to the view and less to the vistas and other dainties, you'd be better off.

OUGHT TO BE PREPARED



First Bandit—No use holding up that man—he ain't worth his salt. Second Bandit (drawing gun)—Let's pepper him, then.

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